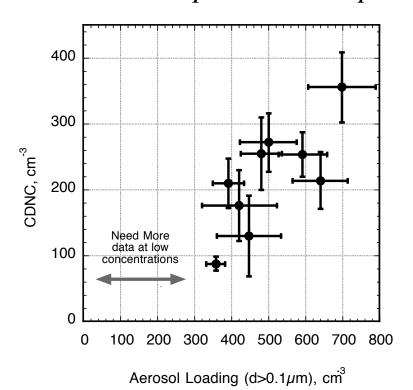
## ASP PARTICIPATION IN THE VOCALS-REGIONAL EXPERIMENT

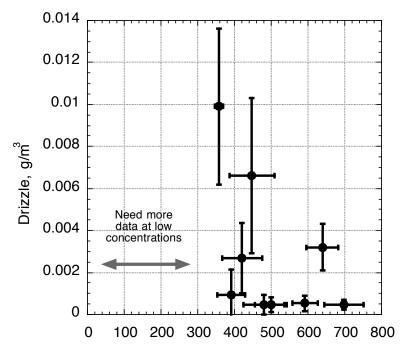
**VOCALS-** NSF sponsored marine stratus experiment to examine processes in, and properties of marine stratus, off the west coast of South America (Chile-Peru).

**Motivation-** Opportunity to examine effects of aerosols on cloud microphysics in a region that is truly remote, and where clouds will be most sensitive to the effects of anthropogenic aerosols.

## **VOCALS**

**Rationale-** Previous ASP studies have been heavily perturbed by anthropogenic aerosols. Need to sample more remote conditions to fully understand processes and to develop and to test parameterizations.





Aerosol Loading (d>0.1  $\mu$ m), cm<sup>3</sup>

## **VOCALS**

**Strategy-** *NOAA* considering possibility of deploying *P-3*. May possibly join that activity. If sufficient interest within the ASP community, consider deploying the G-1.

**Collaborators-** Base Experiment NSF funded. There will be South American participants. NCAR will fly the c-130; NOAA proposing to fly a P-3.